

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF

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APPLICATION NO: 10/530,857

FILED: AUGUST 16, 2005

FOR: EPOTHILONE DERIVATIVES FOR THE TREATMENT OF  
MULTIPLE MYELOMA

**MS: Amendment**

Commissioner for Patents

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Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Sir:

This reply is in response to the Office Action of November 2, 2007, to which a reply was due December 2, 2007. A petition for a one-month extension of time is included with this reply, thus extending the time to respond to January 2, 2008. Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 4 of this paper.